

STAR THEATER
—TODAY—
“THE RIGHT WAY”
Thomas Mott Osborne's true story
of life and a Snub Pollard Comedy.
—THURSDAY—
Jack Hoxie In
“THE DOUBLE O”
And a Christie Comedy

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MER ROUGE MAYOR'S LIBERTY SOUGHT IN COURT

SALARIES ARE FIXED BY ALBANY COUNCIL FOR THE NEW YEAR; AGREE ON LICENSES

Last Regular Meeting of the Board For This Year Is Held

ATTORNEY REPORTS ON NEGOTIATIONS FOR LOAN

Says Money Probably Can Be Obtained for Street Paving

A regular meeting of the Albany city council was held last night with all the aldermen in their places except Alderman Williams and Berry.

The meeting was presided over by President Sittason and following the reading of the minutes of the previous session by Clerk Hartung, opportunity was given for any citizen who might wish to address the council.

Under this head Superintendent Cowart appeared and explained that the city schools were in need of more funds—and that the teachers were now teaching more students than the State Association recommended or allowed, except in emergencies. He explained that no new expenses had been incurred, and that the new member of the high school faculty secured took the place of a teacher who had resigned. The request of Mr. Cowart in behalf of the schools was referred to the finance committee.

J. H. Clift, was the next citizen to appear, asking that he be allowed exemption from privilege taxes on a small business he was conducting. Mr. Clift's request was also referred to the finance committee.

Under reports of committees, Attorney Hutson, who had been appointed at a previous meeting to secure a loan for the purpose of completing the street paving program begun soon after the war, stated that in company with John W. Knight he had recently made a trip to Nashville, and that he believed that the desired amount of money could be secured later on. Mr. Hutson was continued on this same committee, with power to act, subject to the approval of the council.

Announcement was made by Clerk Hartung that today, the sum of \$10,890.00 in interest was due on money borrowed at the time the large street paving program was put on by the city some years ago. A committee composed of Mayor Britian, Treasurer Bowles, Chairman Cherry of the Finance Committee, Attorney Hutson and Clerk Hartung, was named to see to the paying of this sum. By request City Engineer Bingham appeared relative to some standing water reported near the Terry property on Second Avenue, and advised that the water seemed to be falling on the premises of the property.

The license schedule, that at last meeting had passed its second reading, was then taken up and given its final consideration. What few changes were made, will have little effect, as where some raises were made, decreases were also made. The official license schedule will be made public in the Daily before January 1.

The final action of the council fixed the salaries of city employees as follows: City Clerk per month \$200.00 Police officers \$125.00 each; Fire chief \$115.00; First assistant and Truck driver \$105.00; Second assistant, and truck driver \$90.00; City Attorney \$25.00 and fees for special work; City Treasurer \$15.00.

Owners Will Conduct Hilda Hotel

On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. A. Polytinskey will take charge of the Hotel Hilda and conduct this popular hotel in the future. Mr. Polytinskey built this attractive home for the travelling public several years ago, since which time it has enjoyed a good patronage. The well appointed cafe will be operated in connection and the public may rest assured Mr. Polytinskey will maintain the same high standard in his hotel that has been observable in his successful business life.

Editor of the Primitive Baptist Is Heard At the First Baptist Church

Negro Suspect Is Rushed to Capital For Safekeeping

(Associated Press)

An unusually large audience gathered at the First Baptist church of Albany last night, considering the opportunity given for invitation to hear a sermon by Elder Claud Cayee, Editor of the Primitive Baptist, of Foreydeec, Ark.

If there were any present who hoped to hear a “doctrinal sermon” they were disappointed, for the Elder preached a “service sermon”, bitterly denouncing any thing else but an active Christian service, from the outset. The preacher took as his text in part “If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things that are above where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God”, from the third chapter of Colossians.

The speaker closed his sermon by reciting the story of a negro woman, who was ransomed by a generous man, and then told she had her freedom to live where and how she chose. The woman was represented as choosing the service of her benefactor. “In the same way,” said the speaker, “we from gratitude, serve our Savior.”

He said that for his part, it was a joy to him to serve his Master, and that it was much more profitable to serve Him, even though he might know there was no life here-after and no heaven.

Usual Song Service Opens Meeting

Carlyle Buck led the opening hymn. Promptly at its close Editor Cayee, read the entire third chapter of Colossians and then knelt and led the congregation in an earnest prayer.

After the prayer a second hymn was sung, and the minister arose promptly, and read the first four verses of his selected chapter as his text. He said he would make no promises as to how long he would preach; but that up in his home state, Tennessee “they allowed a fellow four hours.”

This expression pleased his audience greatly. The sermon was almost an hour in duration and it held the undivided attention of the audience. Taking up the word “seek” in the text, the speaker said that if he understood the English language, that word meant activities. “There are but few of us who do as much as we ought to do” said the speaker. “Seeking, means getting up and going.”

It was declared that “dead meant dead.” “There is no comparative and no superlative of death, there is no ‘dead’, ‘deader’, ‘deadest’.” Prior to the quickening of Christ's spirit, we are dead, that is all there is about it.”

It was explained there was a difference between “nature” and “practice”, and it was explained that God worked on our natures. “Out of His great love, God sent His darling Son to save us” declared the speaker. “There is no time to be idle, and no place to be idle,” was another expression of the speaker.

Time Serving Christians.

Church members, who were regular at “communion”, but absent at the church councils, who “had a face as long as your arm” at church and who “forgot all about religion” in the week and who made no sacrifices, were criticized.

The speaker said he was sorry to say the world seemed to be falling away from religion. “People don't love to go to church like they once did, any how if they do, they don't go as much as they used to. Where is your heart? Where your treasure is?” The speaker upheld the teaching that we are saved FROM sin not IN sin. “There is no living in sin by the child of God” he said. “I know from teaching, from observation and from experience, that no peace of heart and of conscience is found outside of the service of God. I love His service. I would prefer to give my life to Christ, if I knew positively there was no here-after and no such place as we call ‘heaven’. That one you love, you delight to serve.”

Directors Plan Membership Drive

The regular weekly meeting of the board of directors of the Albany Decatur Chamber of Commerce was held at the Colonial building last night. The questions arising in connection with the proposed membership campaign, occupied most of the time. Tentative plans were drawn, and some preliminaries for the campaign were agreed upon.

Bernhardt Takes Turn for Worse

(Associated Press.)

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Sarah Bernhardt's condition took another turn for the worse today.

Physicians ascribed it to the fatigue, following her activity yesterday when she arose from her bed, partook of solid food, and received many callers.

The actress' household again is depressed, although Madame herself is just as confident as ever that she will recover.

CAMPAIGN PLANNED AGAINST WEEVIL

A big effort will be made to meet and combat the boll weevil on his chosen field and style of battle the coming year. The new county agent, J. C. Ford, is beginning now a campaign of education of the arsenate way of eliminating this pest, and an active campaign will be carried on under his direction, it is said.

The last three or four pretty days have caused the weevil to venture out from his hiding place, and several have reported actually seeing the weevil crawling around and taking an inventory of the progress made for his destruction.

Cotton farmers have been warned from time to time that the weevil would in time destroy their crop “boots and baggage,” but so far enough has been left each year to make a good showing in the cotton crop of the year. The wise ones are saying, “just you wait,” and you will have the same experience which came to other sections when the entire cotton crop was destroyed.

Practically every section of the country has the “best way” of destroying the pest, the arsenate way and the picking up and destroying of infected squares seems to be far in the lead as the most effective way. We will in time find a specific for this pest which has already cost the farmers of the Southland millions of dollars.

CHARTER FILED FOR ARMOUR COMPANY

(Associated Press.)

DOVER, Del., Dec. 27.—The certificate for a charter for Armour and company of Delaware, was filed at the office of the Secretary of State here today. The company is capitalized at \$160,000,000 and is authorized to deal in cattle and live stock of all kinds. The incorporators named in the certificates are A. M. Hooven, M. A. Bruce and H. M. Anderson, all of Wilmington, Del., identified with the Corporation Trust company, of America, which drew up the incorporation papers.

No mention was made of the pending purchase of Morris and Co., reported.

BIG SEDIMENTATION TANK EXPECTED BE COMPLETED WITHIN NEXT FIFTEEN DAYS

Will Have Capacity of 1,000,000 Gallons of Water Authorities State

FILTRATION PROCESS IS EXPLAINED BY HALE

Could Furnish Ample Supply of Water For City Of 100,000

Announcement was made at the office of the Alabama Water Power company this morning, that its new sedimentation tank construction begun several months ago, was nearing completion, and at if suitable weather for work prevailed, in fifteen days it would be ready for use.

This mighty tank will have a capacity of 1,000,000 gallons of water—a supply, according to Manager Hale, large enough to take care of the wants of a community of 100,000 people.

“We built for the future,” he said. “Our company expects a great centre of population to be established here so its directors took time by the fore-lock, so to speak.”

“When the new tank is in use, it will furnish 12 hours sedimentation period, as we are now planning to pump a million gallons a day. The law requires only about three hours sedimentation, so it is plain that we are planning to allow four times the time, required by the law. If later we should need to increase our pumping to four million gallons a day, we would still be well in the law.”

It was explained that what was meant by “sedimentation,” is that water sent into the big tank, remains there for so many hours before it is sent on to be used. The importance of a reasonably long period, is evident, when it is recalled that the filtering process takes time, and it takes time for the chemicals to do their work of cleansing and sweetening the raw river water.

The agreement of the Alabama Water company to enlarge its sedimentation capacity, followed a complaint made by state health authorities last summer, against the small sedimentation tanks then in use, as they had to be drained too often, so the authorities claimed, to allow sufficient time for the work of filtration. The state even went so far as to bring suit against the water company, but the suit was suppressed by agreement, when the company agreed to complete its new proposed sedimentation tank at the earliest possible moment.

New mills are opening up from time to time in the country, as a body of valley virgin timber is discovered remote from the railroad points. A peculiar part of the lumber and timber industry is reported by lumbermen, and that is, that it was reckoned the best timber had all disappeared from the county. There is constantly being discovered valuable tracts of this class of timber, where the owners have persistently refused to part with it. In some instances the title to the land changes hands, and it is placed on the markets.

The same conditions have been reported from time to time in regard to the cedar timber, which in the years past was one of the largest and most valuable sources of revenue at several points in this county. There was a lull in the sale of this class of timber for a number of years, but it likewise has staged a comeback, and at the railroad points in this county, there has been sawed and shipped thousands upon thousands of this class of lumber. The lengths are short varying from 6 to 12 feet, though it commands a fine price.

Besides Mr. Verner, there are two other avowed candidates for Speaker—Fred Merrill, of Anniston, and J. L. Long, of Southern Alabama.

Because Mr. Verner lives in Tuscaloosa the home city of Governor elect W. W. Brandon, the opinion has been widely expressed over the state that he will have the active support of the incoming Governor.

But on the other hand Messrs Long and Merrill, are both claiming the support of Mr. Brandon.

Lausanne Parley Nears Breakdown

(Associated Press.)

London, Dec. 27.—A Reuter's dispatch from Lausanne says: “There is serious danger of the Near East conference becoming abortive if the Turks persist in their present methods.”

Love Cult Bared In Divorce Suit



Marie Mitchell Ryerson, Queen of Chalet de Art Studio

GOVERNOR PARKER WIRES EXTRADITION PAPERS ARE TO BE SENT IMMEDIATELY

Head of Brady Institute Confers With The Accused Physician

DENIES KNOWLEDGE OF THE DOUBLE MURDER Not Member of Ku Klux Klan But Admirers Their Methods

(Associated Press) BALTIMORE, Dec. 27.—In an effort to obtain bail before commencing his fight against extradition, Dr. B. M. McKinon, former mayor of Mer Rouge, La., who was arrested here yesterday at the request of Governor Parker, of La., obtained a writ of habeas corpus in the city court.

Governor Parker accused Dr. McKinon of murder.

The writ was made returnable immediately, but upon petition request of Dr. McKinon's counsel, former United States District Attorney, Robert A. Carmen, the hearing was postponed until tomorrow and Dr. McKinon was taken back to his cell.

A short time before in central police court, Dr. McKinon's case was adjourned by Justice Stanleigh until January 8 at request of detectives working on the case. This was to permit time for the separation and forwarding of the necessary documents from Louisiana.

(Associated Press.) BALTIMORE, Dec. 27.—A writ of habeas corpus for B. M. McKinon, former mayor of Mer Rouge, La., arrested here yesterday on a charge of murder in connection with the Morehouse kidnapping case, was obtained this morning.

The writ, which was issued by Chief Judge James T. Gorham in the city court, was made returnable immediately.

Extradition papers will be forwarded from Louisiana to Baltimore for Dr. McKinon, a telegram from Governor Parker, stated today.

Accordingly papers were prepared for presentation to Dr. McKinon's hearing in police court later today, asking that he be held for ten days.

Dr. Hugh H. Young, head of the Brady institute at John Hopkins hospital, with whom Dr. McKinon worked, conferred with the former mayor for more than an hour this morning.

Dr. McKinon denied knowledge of the murder of T. F. Richards and Watt Daniels, whose mutilated bodies were found in Lake Lafourche. He said however, that the men were on the “bad-side”—“the side of the boot-leggers, gunmen and others of bad repute.”

He also stated that although he was not a member of the Ku Klux Klan, he liked their methods if helping rid Mer Rouge of its lawlessness.

TOWN STARTLED.

(Associated Press) BASTROP, La., Dec. 27.—There was an air of expectancy here and around Mer Rouge today as department of justice agents and representatives of the state government renewed their activities in the investigation of the Morehouse kidnapping case and widened their efforts to run down the persons responsible for the dynamiting of a nearby lake, which gave up the bodies of the two men, now identified as Watt Daniels and Thomas Richards, abducted by a mob last August.

It was declared that additional arrests were imminent.

Secret service men are reported to have located the place where the dynamite, said to have been 1500 pounds, was sold and some of the men, suspected of being implicated in the dynamiting, are under surveillance.

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TIMBER INDUSTRY LIQUOR SCARCE AND REACHES THE PEAK

High Say Officials

Liquor Scarce And High Say Officials

While State Law Enforcement Officers Root and Campbell and deputies Sharpe and Wright were making some investigations near Fox's Creek in Lawrence county, down the Tennessee river, Tuesday afternoon, with the hope of capturing a still, they found the manufactured article, being attracted to the spot by the suspicious actions of a man who was later arrested and placed in the county jail, two gallons of corn whiskey being found in his possession. He was apprehended while crossing a large field, and was in speaking distance of the officers, who halted him and called upon him to stop and throw up his hands and set the jug down carefully. He complied with the request. He was brought to the county jail and in default of bond was locked up. Fox's Creek is the locality where six stills were caught and destroyed in one day's time by the officers quite recently. They report it as dry as a Sahara, in comparison with constant conditions which have prevailed there for a long time.

Law enforcement officers and deputies alike report that there are fewer stills now operating than at any time during the past two years in the counties of Morgan and Lawrence counties. These conditions are attributed to the activities of the officers who have made it a very hazardous business, as they have raided practically every section of the two counties during the past twelve months. Liquor is scarce and higher is the verdict of law enforcement men.

The same conditions have been reported from time to time in regard to the cedar timber, which in the years past was one of the largest and most valuable sources of revenue at several points in this county. There was a lull in the sale of this class of timber for a number of years, but it likewise has staged a comeback, and at the railroad points in this county, there has been sawed and shipped thousands upon thousands of this class of lumber. The lengths are short varying from 6 to 12 feet, though it commands a fine price.

A few years ago at both Hartsell and Falkville there was a constant loading and shipping of cedar poles, varying from 30 to 60 feet. The minimum lengths shipped at that time was 30 feet. It was no uncommon sight to see hundreds of straight poles, 60 feet in length.

Reform Bureau Leader Is Dead

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WE FAVOR ACCEPTANCE OF HENRY FORD'S BID FOR MUSCLE SHOALS.**NOTHING NEW.**

Is there anything new, or are all the things which we are accustomed to call new things, but the principle known in the distant past, and only now being improved upon? Animals have been known to perform operation, very surgical in their nature when necessity forced them to it, and is not this the measure which calls for the daily operations by the surgeons of the country?

An animal caught in a trap will cut its leg off and leave that portion of it fast in the trap and make its escape. A dog cures its wounds by licking them, and major operations have recently been recorded where small animals have done major surgical operations to meet an emergency.

Bees gather wax and seal the cells of the honeycomb to protect and preserve the honey, applying the principle of using paraffine to jelly glasses to exclude the air and keep the product from contamination, a principle used by that busy worker the bee, since bees were bees. Birds build their nests, weaving a fabric of twigs and grasses in much the same fashion as the finely executed baskets of the present time are made, thus the principle of making baskets goes to the birds, who have been here since time began. They not only weave them artistically, but by the application of certain kind of glue known only to them, that fasten them to the topmost boughs of trees, securely tied and made permanent, and winds do not molest.

The hornet's nest, (a dangerous place to approach) is but a bag of paper, gathered from natures' store somewhere somehow, and thus the art of making paper goes to the hornet and other allied insects.

We are in the habit of boasting much of the accomplishments made from time to time in science and invention, but when analyzed, it is but building upon the principle which has been practiced from time immemorial.

NOT YET, NOR SOON.

Many the hearts in the hearts in the alumni of old Auburn, thumped just a little bit more regularly, when the announcement was made that the trustees had decided that this famous institution should remain where it had made its history, and where the affections of its thousands who had passed in and out of its doors was thoroughly intwined. Acute was the feelings of those who had stood by it through all the vicissitudes through which it has passed from its infancy to the present time, when the effort to remove was made and they are but its children who, look upon it as a home, a place where some of the fondest recollections cluster.

It was purely a financial proposition, and viewed from this angle the ones responsible for the suggestion are not to blame. But when viewed from the standpoint of service and future usefulness, conserving and keeping for all time the glorious history which has been written there, it failed to appeal to the thousands of loyal friends of old Auburn, who resented in no uncertain tones the suggestion to move this famous institution.

EDITOR F. P. GLASS REENTERS THE NEWSPAPER FIELD.

Announcement is made that Frank P. Glass, formerly editor of the Birmingham News and prior to his engagement with the News, editor of the Montgomery Advertiser, will enter journalism in St. Louis, as part owner of and manager of the Evening Star of that city.

Alabama can well do Mr. Glass as her own. He was born in **SELLAND**, and for over forty years has by \$20 WEEKLY, selected with a number of news music, circulars, etc.

Mr. Glass, information, etc. Music Co., 1658 Broad Street, greatest fame and prominence. At the time when he was connect lengths, full stock. Because

of his close association with former President Wilson, when the two were school mates, and because of his deep interest in political affairs, Mr. Glass wielded a nation wide influence during the whole eight years in which Mr. Wilson was President. He is credited with advising the President on many important questions especially on matters concerning the welfare of the South. As an editor, Mr. Glass has been written down as one of five or six great best writers of his generation. When he retired from the editorship of the Birmingham News it was a surprise to many and when he continued so long without connecting himself with any of the newspapers of the country, the public was still more surprised. But now has been felt all along that there was no way to keep a man from doing all his life, what he had been doing for such a long period. The people of Alabama as a unit will look forward to seeing Mr. Glass make a success in his new venture. He has the energy and determination and the experience, and no human obstacle can prevent his attaining the full measure of journalistic success.

TIME.

How often is it the case that we fool ourself into the belief that we would do certain things, but for the want of time. Time is a most valuable gift, and comes to all alike. To make this old and worn excuse, is to but use it as a subterfuge for neglect of duties. It may get one by, but it does not excuse. There is where the rub comes. We are held strictly accountable for the disuse of time. This applies to the material world as well as other and higher interests.

If the earnest desire is there to do, time is always found, and its moments is not flitted away unused. If the desire and will and determination is present, there is plenty of time, for it will be utilized if these exist. If on the contrary we allow its golden moments to slip by unused and unappropriated in useful efforts to acquire other attainments, we have lost something which can not be called back. It has gone into the abyss of unappropriated moments, and is so much of God given opportunity lost forever.

WHEN THE SINNER GOES STRAIGHT.

Eight years ago a banker disappeared as an audit of his bank's books was being made. It was the story that has been told again and again of a man in a trusted place surrendering to temptation. By the time the auditors finished their work there was nothing left of the bank but a memory.

A few months ago the banker was found. He had buried himself in another community and had "gone straight." He had worked up a new place of trust and was walking in the path of righteousness. Investigation showed that those eight years had been without stain. Yet the law, having indicted him for his past misdeeds, must needs have recourse for punishment. He was brought back to the community he had fled in disgrace and was sentenced to serve one year and one day in a Federal prison.

What is the theory that lies behind prison incarceration? If society decrees that the guilty must be confined as a grim punishment from the marauder. If such is man to jail was the right thing to do. But there are those who take the stand that prison sentences are imposed so as to protect society from the marauder. If such is the case, what good was done in placing this man in a prison cell? He had tasted the agony of conscious guilt. He had wiped his slate clean and had begun anew. He had built up a reputation for honor and integrity. Certainly it would seem that society needed not to protect itself where he was concerned. He had become one of its useful members.

Some day, perhaps, society will discover a better vision than it now has for dealing with those who go wrong but have the heart to try to win back. There is all the difference in the world between the one-time sinner and the confirmed crook.—Jersey City Journal.

The proposed international conference as advocated by Senator Borah has already done one good thing. It has separated Borah and Senator Johnson.

The best way to regulate yourself during the new year—if it comes to you—is to swear yourself into doing so many good deeds, you won't have to swear off from bad actions.

The way we fill for post-war write-ups, and pay big prices for photos of thoroughly discredited ex-monarchs, would cause Barnum to add something to his description of Americans, if he were living.

OFFICE CAT

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The world loves a cheerful giver,
Be cheerful!

"Broke, but happy," says St. Nick,
No use putting in a kick,
Mother's pleased with what she got
And that's worth an awful lot."

If the tongue could be enlarged
by exercise some people would sure
have a mouthful.

Well, after all a man would hard-
ly find much of interest in a woman
who did not have some interest in
the styles.

Compliment the flapper on her
versatility and she'll likely tell you
she never wrote a verse in her life.

THEY ALL DO.

"An accident rendered him dumb,
He had not uttered a word for more
than three years."

"Get him into the smoking car of
a Pullman. He'll talk."

Amos Tash says if you want your
own way don't get married.

FAMILY BAROMETER.
"What's that for?" said a mother
to her son who had just brought home
a barometer.

"Oh, it's a great idea, mother. Tells
you when it's going to rain."

"What's the use of wasting money
on that when Providence has given

your father rheumatics?"

LET'S GO
Simple Bennie met a Jennie,
Nifty, tall and fair;
Simple Bennie said to Jennie,
"Going anywhere?"

Then said this wren to Simple Ben;
"Where dya get that stuff?"
"I know," winked Ben. "Oh, well,"
said Jen.
Let's go! You've said enough!"

Panhandle Pete says if you
do what you like, like what you do.

If you must embark on the sea of
matrimony, don't rock the boat.

In a coffee house two young girls
were sipping coffee. Here is a frag-
ment of their conversation, I over-
heard which may be intelligent to
those versed in flapperese:

"Hot cat!" exclaimed one. "You've
spit the sassafras."

"If you don't think I have, you're
crazy," was the rejoinder.

DEAD MEN TELL NO TALES, BUT THIS WAS A WOMAN.

"Prosecution Bases Case on Post
Mortem Statements of Woman He
Killed."—Headlines in the Scranton
Republican.

Still, the fact that a woman tries
to dress more or less like a Kewpie
doesn't necessarily make her look
that way.

"Close the bar and cork all the
bottles," shouted the captain as the
ship crossed the three mile limit. "We
are now going into dry dock."

A stranger in town said, "Mister,
can you tell me where the churches
of the town are located?" The wag
replied:

"The Synagogue is next to the
bank; the Episcopalian is over by
the theatre; the Presbyterian is
within two doors of the cold storage;
the Baptist is down by the river; the
Methodist is next door to the gas
plant."

The girl of yesterday who fell in

to a soul.

"Sub-chasers in booze traffic." Well,
one needs a chaser with this modern
hootch.

NOT THE CHEAP KIND.

"What are those lines of Kipling's

MASONIC THEATER

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY



WILL ROGERS AS Ichabod Crane in
FROM MORN TO ETERNITY, A MORNING'S PICTURE

"A woman is only a woman—?"
"Yes, but a cigar isn't always a
good smoke."

An inventor has patented a chain
to be looped around a cuff button to
prevent its being lost. A chain to pre-
vent a collar button from skidding under
a chiffonette would be a welcome adjunct
to a man's trinket box.

NOT BY NAME.

Stern parent to flapper playing the
latest jazz on Sunday:
"Don't you know the Ten Com-
mandments?"

Daughter: "If you just whistle the
first few bars, maybe I can follow
you."

Wanted—Girl for light house-
work, no objection to green or col-
ored girl—Classified Ad in Hartford
Times.

DON'T CRY LITTLE GIRL.

There, little girl, don't cry,
They have lengthened your skirts,
know;
But don't you fret,
You're a long way yet,

From the girls of the long ago.

They have added an inch or two,
But there, little girl, don't cry,
For a frisky breeze
Still shows your knees,

As the race of men go by.

Leaders are ordinary persons with
extraordinary determination.

The modern woman fears no breeze;
the wind may whistle 'round her
knees; her ankles do not mind the
air, but how she does arrange her
hair! If Mother Eve were only here,
she'd wear her fig leaf on her ear.

We have noticed often that after
girls are married, Cobwebs can be
found in the front porch swing, and
the front door sticks.

BRONCHITIS

At bedtime rub the throat and
chest thoroughly with—

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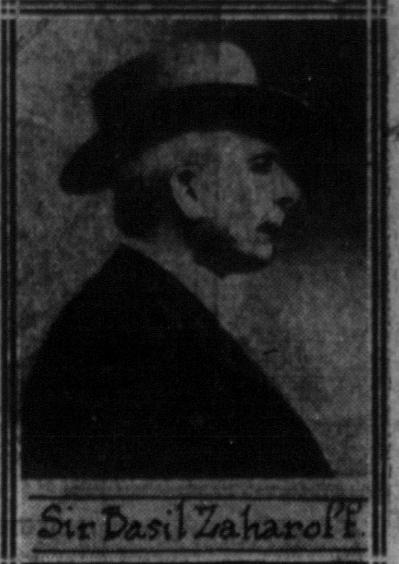
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Men's \$5.00 dress shoes	\$3.75	\$10.00 Rain Coats	\$7.50
Boys' \$5.00 dress Shoes	\$3.75	\$8.00 Rain Coats	\$6.00
Boys' \$3.50 school or work shoes, solid leather,	\$2.50	Genuine Leather coats, heavy wool- en lined, (Sleeveless)	\$4.75
Men's \$3.50 work shoes, heavy solid leather,	\$2.50	\$2.00 heavy fleeced lined union suits at	\$1.50
Men's \$5.00 work shoes, at	\$3.50	Heavy fleeced lined shirts and drawers, per suit	\$1.25
Men's \$6.00 cushion sole shoes, the easiest wearing shoe in Albany, at	\$4.50	Heavy ribbed shirts and drawers, per suit	\$1.50
Any shoe in house marked down accordingly.		Medium weight ribbed shirts and drawers, per suit	\$1.50
\$30.00 blue serge Suits	\$21.50	\$2.00 heavy weight ribbed union Suits	\$1.35
\$25.00 Suits	\$16.50	Heavy knit fleeced lined over shirts worth \$2.00, at	\$1.00
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Chauffeur Suits	\$7.50</		

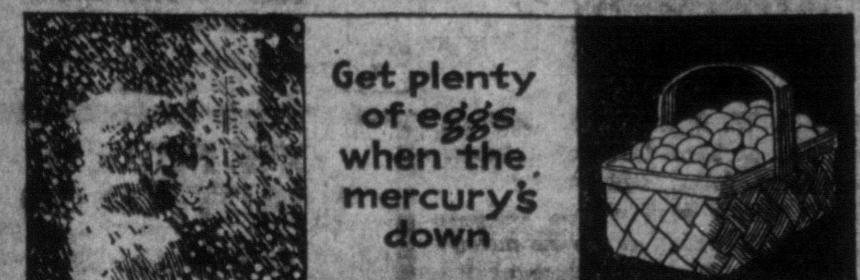
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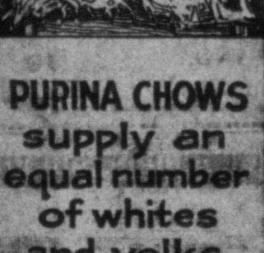
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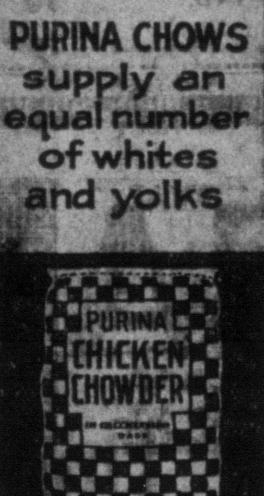
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“THE LITTLE MINISTER”**
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A picturization of James M. Barrie's famous book. Approved by the National Committee for better films. A picture you will want to see—and one that you will always remember. Also "Fun From the Press." Admission 10c, 20c (30c). Continuous Show 2 to 11.

Coming next Monday and Tuesday—Mae Murray in Broadway Rose, another Big Metro Special



MASONIC THEATER---THURS. and FRI.

The Inimitable Will Rogers as Ichabod Crane in
“THE HEADLESS HORSEMAN”

A picturization of Washington Irving's "THE LEGEND OF SLEEPY HOLLOW."

LISTEN FOLKS—YOU WILL ENJOY—
A good laugh at Will Rogers as Ichabod Crane.

The quaint courtship of the picturesque schoolmaster.
His narrow escape from being tarred and feathered will give you the thrill of your life, and when he meets the Headless Horseman who—it will send a multitude of shivers down your back.

The National Committee for better films says this is an unusually good picture.

ADDED ATTRACTION: HAROLD LOYD IN A 1-REEL COMEDY

Continuous Show 2 to 11.

SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton Phone Decatur 352.

MRS. PRUITT COMPLIMENTS MISS WARD.

Mrs. Brentz Pruitt entertained at Rook on yesterday afternoon honoring her niece, Miss Elizabeth Ward, of Kankakee, Ill., a guest in her home. The home was decorated in Xmas greens, holly and poinsettias. At the conclusion of the game at which Miss Louise Almon made high score and received the prize, a delicious plate salad course was served. The honoree was presented a dainty momento of the party.

The guest included Misses Clara Perry Hunt, Ellen Hildreth, Julia Lee Lynn, Elizabeth Malone, Mary Hendrix, Ludie McCre Pointer, Zelma Wright, Peggy Davis, Olyne Schechter, of Indianapolis, Ind.; Maxie Speake, Dolores Hardage, Louise Almon Emma Frances Polhill, Emily Lile and Lucy Haywood Binford, of Athens and the honoree.

CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Payne delightedly entertained at an informal Xmas Day dinner at their home on Sherman Street and included in this hospitality were Mrs. E. H. Allison, Dr. and Mrs. Chrisinger, Mrs. J. H. Sheets, of Evansville, Ind. Ever since Mr. and Mrs. Payne have made their home in the Twin Cities they have had these same friends supplemented by others, making a much larger gathering, but still the same sweet spirit prevails when they are brought together.

REHEARSAL PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Nelson and Mrs. C. W. Bethany entertained at their home 1330 Fifth avenue for the bridal party of the Nelson-Keneipp wedding after the rehearsal. daughter, Miss Eula Lee Nelson. The reception and dining rooms were banked with holly and mistletoe carrying out the holiday colors, red and green. Late in the evening an ice course was served to the guests who were, Misses Capitola Hamilton, Georgia Nunn and Tyne Hamlin, bridesmaids, Miss Claudia Fullas, maid of honor, Messrs. Joe Matthews, Newton Hatchett and Irving Mitchell, ushers, Hatchett and Irving Mitchell, ushers, Miss Nelson and Mr. Keneipp.

KENEIPP-NELSON.

The marriage of Miss Eula Lee Nelson and Mr. Richard Leon Keneipp, will be consummated this evening at 8:30 p.m.

TRIPLE FOUR.

There will be no meeting of the Triple Four this week.

Miss Polly Robinson left today for Florence, where she will attend the Elks Annual Christmas dance given Thursday night.

Mrs. Ralph Leonard Porch and son are leaving next week for their future home at Aleataz, Island, Calif., where Staff Sergeant Ralph Porch is stationed. She will be accompanied by her mother, Mrs. T. Smith Ralston, who will spend the winter in California.

Mrs. E. H. Speake and son, Billie are among the out-of-town guests here to attend the Keneipp-Nelson wedding.

Mrs. Speaks of Atlanta is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Prosser of West Albany.

Misses Emily Lile and Lucy Haywood Binford, of Athens, are the holiday guests of Miss Emma Frances Polhill.

After a visit of several weeks to Mrs. P. M. Wolcott, Mrs. John Sheets is leaving this week for her home in Evansville, Ind.

Mrs. H. D. Greer is visiting relatives in Sylacauga, Ala.

ROYALTY IN AMERICA WITH U. S. BRIDE



Prince Christopher

Prince Christopher of Greece, ninth in line of succession to the Greek throne, has arrived in New York with his American wife, the former Mrs. William B. Leeds, widow of the American "Tin Plate King."

HIGH TELEGRAPH OFFICIAL BACK FROM EUROPE



Newcombe Carlton

Mr. Newcombe Carlton, President of the Western Union Telegraph Co., has just returned from a business and pleasure trip in Europe.

Gov. Parker Wires Papers Will Be Sent

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error John M. Parker, caused considerable excitement among the town's population. Little groups of citizens gathered in public places and on the streets to discuss the case and the probable next move of the authorities.

Possible Loss Of Steamer Reported

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The French liner Savoie, arriving here today after the roughest voyage in her history, reported the possible loss at sea of the steamer Tudorstar, bound from Seattle, Wash., for Glasgow. The Tudorstar is operated by the Blue Star line of the Union Cold Storage Company.



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BRITISH DUKE TO RACE ACROSS ATLANTIC



Duke of Leinster

The Duke of Leinster, noted British sportsman, has arrived in New York to complete arrangements with William Washburn Nutting, American sportsman, for a race across the Atlantic in ketches.

WEATHER.

FOR ALABAMA—Local rains this afternoon followed by fair and much cooler tonight, and Thursady fresh to strong northwest winds.

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See how it lathers!
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Dec. 27

The fun show of
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people and all our
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GEORGE MCNAMEUS CARTOON MUSICAL COMEDY BRINGING UP FATHER ON HIS VACATION



If you can't laugh at this show see a doctor. Prices 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and a few at \$1.50 on sale Monday, December 25. Get them early as this Company sells out everywhere at these low prices.

**PRINCESS THEATER
--THURSDAY--**



**Jack Holt
in
“While Satan Sleeps”**

A Peter B. Kyne Story, superbly picturized, with Holt in his greatest role. The cast includes FRITZI BRUNETTE.

Admission

10c, 20c, 25c and 30c.

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As a play a worldwide success—
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“SMILIN’ THROUGH”

8 Reels of Storm and Sunshine!

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Performances..... 2, 4:15, 6:30, 8:45

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NEWS OF MOULTON
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CHRISTMAS HAS GONE—With it joy and sorrow, 365 days hence another will return. Your plans carefully made and worked out will net what you may expect. Come to J. A. Thorhill for money, real estate troubles, fire insurance, debts, mortgages. Have lots of money to start the year with.

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BARRAZ Ointment for Carbuncles, Boils, Piles, Eczema and all skin troubles. Guaranteed by your druggist. 14-1mo.

A BARGAIN! One Ford Roadster, fine engine, good tires, for \$75.00. Going away. Must sell. Call at 614 1-2 Second Avenue or Phone Albany 501-W. 27-01.

FOR SALE—One Grant 6 cylinder touring car 1919 model, good mechanical condition, good bargain. Apply at Twin City Tire Co., or Phone Albany 167. 27-3t.

FOR SALE—Galvanized roofing, all lengths. Barrett Asphalt Shingles and Timber Roofing. Prompt delivery. Inquiries solicited. John D. Wyker & Son. 27-6t.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Olshine building at corner of Bank and Church Streets. Said to be one of the best constructed buildings in Decatur or Albany, early possession. See John R. Witt, Belle Mina or Tennessee Valley Bank. 5-4 weeks

MILL WOOD—And kindling for a limited time. Get it now. Decatur Box and Basket Co. 14-tf

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FOR RENT—Store on Second Avenue. Phone 214 J. Albany with C. L. Peck, Albany, Ala. 26-3t.

FOR RENT—Three connecting rooms in cottage for light housekeeping. Light, gas and bath; to couple only. 409 Line Street, between Lafayette and Church. 26-3t.

FOR RENT—80 acre farm near Ryan's Cross Roads. Large barn, good house with well on veranda. All time spring in pasture. Enough land cleared for 2 or 3 horse crop. Address "X. Y. Z." Care, Albany-Decatur Daily, or Phone Albany 687-J.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Pocket fold book, containing money and check, probably lost between Dry Creek and the Princess Theatre. Reward for return. J. A. Foster, 212 Gordon Drive, West Phone Albany 544. 27-3t.

LOST—Between Mason's Cafe, Albany, and Echoes Hotel, Decatur, Brown Hand Bag, containing grey suit clothes, white sweater, silk shirts and other wearing apparel. Reward. Mason's Cafe, 105 W. Moulton St. 26-3t.

LOST—Package containing black Crepe de Chine Dress. Lost either near Albany depot or on st. car. Reward for recovery. Phone Albany 409 J. 26-3t.

LOST—Two female hunting dogs, one white and black spots, one white and liver spots. Information leading to recovery will be rewarded with \$5.00. W. H. Moseley, 1505, 9th Ave. South, Albany, Ala. 26-3t.

STRAYED.
ONE RED MILCH COW—Weight about 1,000 lbs. with rope and halter on. Any information, notify 1006 Oak St., Decatur, Ala., and get reward. 26-5t.

\$5.00 Reward for the return of one black, red and white spotted female hound. Strayed in Decatur. 12-4t. D. S. Echols.

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WANTED—Cashier, must be good in figures. Buttrey's Department Store. 27-3t.

WANTED—To crate your furniture. Prices reasonable, satisfaction guaranteed. Phone Albany 314 J. D. C. Jones. 27-3t.

WANT TO TRADE—300 acre farm in South Alabama for 8 or 10 room residence in Albany or Decatur. 200 acres in fine state of cultivation, 100 acres in fine swamp land, other sandy loam soil. Apply J. G. D., care Daily. 26-6t

WANTED—To trade one Ford Coupe, 1921 Model as payment on real estate in Albany or small farm close in. Write to "Z. E. G." Care Daily, as to what you have or call Albany 478 W. 26-3t.

WANTED TO RENT—Furnished house with 3 or 4 bedrooms. Col. Wm. D. Wrightson, Box 492, Decatur or telephone Decatur 56-20-6t.

MISCELLANEOUS
EARN \$20 WEEKLY, SPARE TIME, AT HOME, addressing, mailing, Music, circulars. Send 10¢ for Music information, etc. American Music Co., 1658 Broadway, N. Y.

GALVANIZED ROOFING—In all lengths. Full stock. Prompt delivery. Let us quote you. John D. Wyker & Son. 22-6t.

MOULTON, Ala., Dec. 27.—Special—Notwithstanding the gloom over Moulton cast by the "flu" there is still a bit of Christmas cheer and festivity in the coming home of many students and teachers; among them are Miss Katherine Forney, teacher at Montgomery; Bryan Greenhaw, instructor in Massey Business College, Montgomery; Emmett Perry and his sister Miss Willie Perry, the first of Woodlawn High School and the second of a large school in Marion county; Cobbie Wallace and Horace Holland, each in large out-of-the-county schools; Walter Greenhaw, of the Grassy school in Lauderdale county; and of the county teachers who live in or near Moulton.

Farris Aldridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Aldridge, was buried at the Heflin cemetery, west of Moulton, Friday afternoon. His death, which occurred Thursday afternoon, was the result of complications arising from an attack of flu a few days ago; he was a young man of nineteen years, well liked by friends and acquaintances; burial services were conducted by Emmett Byars, minister of the church of Christ. A sad feature of the burial was the fact that his parents and all of his brothers and sisters excepting two were unable to go to the graveyard on account of illness from the epidemic that claimed him. The family at this time is recovering from the attacks.

For the first time in several months Moulton again has a marshal. The newly elected mayor and council has employed J. R. Bates, deputy sheriff for the past two or three years, to act marshal for the town and as he is a man in whom all have confidence there promises to be a rigid enforcement of law in and around the confines of the town.

For this week the Burk garage in Moulton is closed incident to the taking inventory of stock. On next Monday, January 1, the business opens under the control of a large Birmingham concern which recently bought out the present ownership. It will still be directly under the efficient management of E. B. Williams who has had charge of the establishment since its opening here a year or more ago.

To date, according to the tax collector for the county, taxes in Lawrence have been more nearly paid in than up to this time last year. However, the number paying polls has not been large, six hundred and fifty persons having paid their \$1.50 for voting privileges and \$327 paid in as back polls. There will, of course be many more paid before the first of February, 1923, hence the amount may yet total that of 1921.

Miss Lucy Downing, postmaster at Moulton, reports an unusually heavy Christmas mail for the season. The office force as well as the rural carriers were working very hard with the Christmas rush; then, too, the sickness of several of the regular force has added much to the duties of the postal crew.

Miss Ora Carruthers of Montevallo, and Miss Helen Carruthers, of Auburn are spending the holidays with their sister, Miss Margaret Carruthers, teacher in the Lawrence County High School, at Moulton.

Miss Ora Devors, county elementary school supervisor, is taking a well earned Christmas vacation with home folk at Stephenson.

Ensign Robert Pickens, of the navy, now stationed in the Pacific, is at home for a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pickens.

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Given under my hand, this the 18 day of December, 1922.

L. P. Troup, Judge of Probate. December 20-27-Jan. 3.

NOTICE OF SALE.
Circuit Court, Morgan County, Alabama, in Equity.

L. O. Stout vs. T. J. Halfacre et al.

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered December 11, 1922, in the above styled cause by the Circuit Court of Morgan County, Alabama, in Equity, I will proceed on Monday, January 15, 1923, within the legal hours of sale, before the door of the Court House of Morgan County, in Decatur Alabama, to sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title and interest of T. J. Halfacre and Sudie Halfacre in and to the following described land:

Lots 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33 in Block 9 of addition 4 of the Decatur Land Improvement and Furnace Company's Addition to Decatur, Alabama, as shown by map or plat of said addition in the office of the Judge of Probate of Morgan County, Alabama, situated, lying and being in Morgan County, Alabama.

Witness my hand as Register of said Court, this December 12, 1922.

MARVIN WEST, Register. Dec. 13-20-27.

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